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Dear DOJ,

Individuals and businesses continue the struggle against Federal Government. The economy does not grow; rates of return are down to low single digits; and the high tech industry is on its back.

The punishing tax rates in the USA and the abuse of the legal system by greedy lawyers just holds America back.

I enjoy Microsoft products. For what little I pay for them, I receive tremendous value. Why Oh why do you let Microsoft's competitors - with their greedy lawyers - abuse the legal system to try to punish Microsoft for being successful? We consumers are not complaining about Microsoft's products or prices!!!

Please please stop punishing Microsoft and let's get the economy rolling again.

Very truly yours,

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